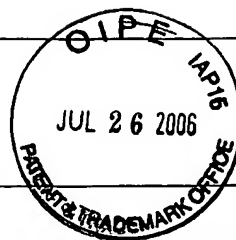


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Attached are:

- ☒ Transmittal Letter (in dup); Request for Continued Examination/RCE (in dup); copy of Amendment and Response to Final Office Action previously submitted on 05/31/2006; check in the amount of \$790; and
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

## Fee calculation:

- ☐ An extension fee in the amount of \$120 for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
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- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 790 is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$ . A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

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